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REF: FRANKFURT A-31, STATE A-2270

- 1. USDOC/BIC'S FOREIGN BUYER PROGRAM LOOKS FORWARD TO COOPERATING WITH PROPOSED GERMAN CONSUMER PRODUCTS PURCHASING TEAMS.
- 2. OUR ASSISTANCE TO QUALIFIED GROUPS IS OUTLINED IN REF. B. THIS ASSISTANCE COULD INCLUDE IDENTIFICATION OF U.S. SUPPLIERS, IDENTIFICATION OF APPROPRIATE TRADE SHOWS AND MARTS, ARRANGING OF APPOINTMENTS, AND THE POSSIBILITY OF PROVIDING AN ESCORT OFFICER FROM WASHINGTON OR THE DISTRICT OFFICES.
- 3. LAST YEAR WE ASSISTED A BUYING TEAM FROM KEY DEPARTMENT STORES IN TAIWAN WHO CONCENTRATED THEIR VISIT TO TRADE MARTS AND LEADING DEPARTMENT STORES IN CHICAGO, DALLAS AND NEW YORK. PURCHASES OF THE TEAM EXCEED 3 MILLION DOLLARS IN IMMEDIATE SALES. UNCLASSIFIED

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4. WHEN GERMAN PURCHASING TEAM IS SUFFICIENTLY ORGANIZED TO QUALIFY UNDER REF. B, POST IS REQUESTED TO NOTIFY FOREIGN BUYER STAFF PROJECT OFFICER PAT CASEY, OED/BIC FOR ASSISTANCE. INGERSOLL

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